



---

# Maryland Active Assailant Interdisciplinary Work Group

March 29, 2023

10:00 A.M. - 12:00 P.M.

Virtual via GoogleMeet

## IN ATTENDANCE:

Rich Alban	Herb Hasenpusch	Megan Ott
Lyndsay Bates	Mark Hubbard	Ron Pierce
Katie Bryson	Kurosh Jahromi	Leesa Radja
Sabrina Chase	John Jerome	Mike Robinson
Tim Chizmar	Lyndon Jones	Rose Robinson
Donald Corbin	Mike Krok	Brian Rudick
Jessica Curtis	Randy Linthicum	Nacole Smith
Greg Dietrich	Darren McGregor	Terry Thompson
Al Frenette	Jason Mowbray	Cecilia Warren
Jennifer Gray	Bob Mueck	Matt Watkins
Scott Haas	Travis Nelson	
Tim Harvey	Michael O'Connell	

## MEETING MINUTES

**START TIME: 10:02 a.m.**

### 1. CALL TO ORDER/OPENING REMARKS

- Introductions -
- Approval of meeting minutes from 12/7/22 - motion Brian Rudick, 2nd Bob Mueck, motion carried.

### 2. SUBCOMMITTEE UPDATES

- Review status of subcommittee activities
- EPS&R -
  - Guidance document approved & posted on website
  - Developing training based on guidance document
    - Review by subcommittee members
    - Adding case studies
    - Pilot training tentatively scheduled
    - Long term - to record online training



- 
- Community Outreach & Website
    - Add Support Services for MCIs documents
    - Add Equipment Recommendations document
    - Update subcommittees
    - Update Gov. Hogan to Gov. Moore
    - Announcements for new documents
    - Contact Us page enhanced
      - PIA requests moved to Contact Us
      - AAIWG website submission form now under “Contact Us”
    - Interviews conducted to identify engagement strategies
      - Still some additional groups to interview
        - MSDE
        - Johns Hopkins
        - MSDE
        - Faith based Information and Sharing Analysis Organization (ISAO)
    - Lots of conferences starting up - representation by AAIWG (MCSS, MDEMA, EMS Care, MD Crime Victim’s Rights, MSFA, Mid-Atlantic Life Safety)
      - Looking for volunteers to support staffing a table at various conferences - GoogleSheet to sign up
      - If already attending for your agency/organization would you be willing to include our information
      - Creating 1 pagers with QR codes for distribution
  - First Responder Guidelines
    - FOG reviewed & updated
      - Reviewed to full AAIWG, MIEMSS JAC, Metro Chiefs & Local Emergency Managers
      - Feedback from AACo PD, Ocean City Fire, & FBI.
      - Revisions to include language, minor content & NIMS compliant language
      - Discussion of suggesting versus stating need for unified command - H. Hasenpusch & B. Mueck
      - Vote required to approve modifications - H. Hasenpusch motion, B. Rudick seconded, motion carried.
      - Updated copy to be posted to the AAIWG web page
    - Future goal - Body armor for EMS recommendations & guidelines
      - To address:
        - Purchasing considerations
        - When to wear
        - Familiarization & use best practices
        - Training & exercise recommendations



- 
- Legal guidance/obligations
  - Template for policy
  - Draft being worked on by subcommittee; expect to present for vote at Q3 meeting.

### **3. MCAC CURRENT EVENTS UPDATE**

- Overview of recent active assailant incidents and successful prevention activities - presented by J. Curtis/MCAC
- J. Curtis suggested adding link to DHS site on our website

### **4. LEGISLATIVE UPDATE**

- Overview of legislative activity related to active assailant preparedness, response, and prevention.

### **5. MEMBER ROUNDTABLE**

- B. Mueck - As part of the International Assoc. Of Campus Law Enforcement Administrators - a 1 pager document created for unarmed intervention.
  - Recommended either adding to the website or making it more Maryland/AAIWG specific?
- S. Haas - presentation at MFSA assembly meeting; only 15 mins to present so he offered to return
- A. Frenette -
  - Anything on the AAIWG website pointing to ALICE training as a resource? (No, this is a paid program which we cannot endorse/promote.)
  - MDEM Private Section Integration Program being held in Baltimore - recommended event, does AAIWG want to have a booth?
    - Al to let us know about booth availability

### **6. ACTION ITEM REVIEW**

- Sending out conference sign up for upcoming events - volunteers to support a table or information at their table
- Request for folks to join subcommittees if not already a part of one

### **7. CLOSING REMARKS & ADJOURN**

**Motion to adjourn - B. Rudick, L. Jones seconded, meeting adjourned**

**END TIME: 10:50**